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1002 330 2002 165 Design filing fee	1401	320	2401		Notice of Appeal	
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1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee		1,510	1451	,	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)	1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE		1,300	2453		Petition to revive - unintentional	
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Total Claims Extra Claims below Fee Paid  -20** = 2	1502	470	2502		Design issue fee	
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Claims -3		50	1807		Petitions to the Commissioner	
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1201 84 2201 42 Independent claims in excess of 3	1809	<b>7</b> 50	2809	375	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
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1204 84 2204 42 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent	1801	750	2801	375	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
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## RESPONSE TO PATENT OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the office action dated 05/07/03, please consider the following remarks:

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